

on the Greco-Yugoslavian border, a single female *Thecla betulae* Linnaeus was captured at an altitude of 1,500 m., inside the forest zone. This record of *betulae* is the first ever from Greece and is the southernmost known from Europe. — JOHN G. COUTSIS, 4 Glykonos Street, Athens 139, Greece.

NYMPHALIS ANTIOPA L. IN SCOTLAND IN 1977 AND A FURTHER RECORD FOR 1976. — Two further records of the Camberwell Beauty may be added to those listed in J. M. Chalmers-Hunt's papers (*Ent. Rec.*, **99**: 89-105, 248-249). On the 5th July, 1977, while examining a local population of *Maniola jurtina* (L.) on a railway embankment in Dunblane, Perthshire, I noticed the slow moving shadow of a large flying insect travelling along the ground to my left. Looking up I saw the spectacular shape of a very worn *N. antiopa* flying steadily at about 15 feet above the ground in a westerly direction. It disappeared over the top of some willows. The time was 11.45 a.m.

On the 24th July, 1976, while watching *Quercusia quercus* (L.) fly round an oak at the side of Loch Ard, near Aberfoyle, Perthshire, a specimen of *antiopa* landed briefly on the tree, flying off out of sight in a few seconds. — GEORGE THOMSON, Humblesknow, Ramoyle, Dunblane, Perthshire, FK15 0BA.

A FURTHER RECORD OF A CAMBERWELL BEAUTY IN WORCESTERSHIRE AFTER HIBERNATION. — On 22nd May, 1977, Mr. Jack Oliver, a very observant countryman of Quarry Cottage, Crews Hill, Alfrick, watched a *Nymphalis antiopa* L. settle twice low down on some bushes by some oaks on a ridge near Crews Hill. — J. E. GREEN, 25 Knoll Lane, Poolbrook, Malvern, Worcs.

LIMNEPHILUS HIRSUTUS PIC. (TRICHOPTERA: LIMNEPHILIDAE) IN KENT. — Two specimens of this species came to m.v.l. at Sandwich Bay on the night of 14.viii.1977. This appears to be the first record for Kent. I am grateful to Dr. Ian Watkinson for their identification. — T. W. HARMAN, Little Oaks, Church Lane, Westbere, Canterbury, Kent.

NYMPHALIS POLYCHLOROS L. IN N.W. KENT, 1975. — Mr. J. H. Hider, a keen and active local naturalist and, I have every reason to believe, an accurate observer, lately gave me a list of species noted by him in this area which, to my surprise, included the Large Tortoiseshell. It was early in June 1975, in Maryon Wilson Park, Charlton; he tells me he had a good view of the butterfly and is in no doubt concerning its identity. In the absence of further sightings, it would seem to have been only a straggler. It should, however, perhaps be mentioned that there were then a number of elms in the park (now sadly reduced by disease). For possible past occurrences in the district one would probably have to go back to the extraordinarily favourable period of 1946-8, during which *polychloros* was recorded two or three times at Lewisham, not far away (cf. Chalmers-Hunt, 1961, *Lepidoptera of Kent*: 70). — A. A. ALLEN, 49 Montcalm Road, Charlton, London, SE7 8QG.